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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Support

SUBJECT : Weekly Report of the Office of Training
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1. Trends in Career Trainee Recruiting

During the last two and a half months, for reasons not yet apparent, we have had fewer applicant declinations (63) than for a comparable period last year (111). At the same time 45 candidates were rejected after interview this year whereas only 21 were turned down last year.

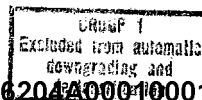
2. Chief/AF to Chat with Five Career Trainees

Five CTs who have already been on interim assignment to AF Division and who expect to transfer to that Division upon completion of training, have been invited by the C/AF to get better acquainted with him. Accordingly, he will see each of the CTs on successive Saturday mornings during September and October.

3. Logistics Officer to Attend Senior Executive Course

25X1A9a [REDACTED] who recently returned from [REDACTED] has been nominated by OL for the next Senior Executive Course at the DOD Computer Institute. We understand that [REDACTED] will become the new Chief, Printing Services Division when [REDACTED] retires later this year. 25X1A9a 25X1A9a

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4. Programmed Text on Map Reading Loaned to DIS

We supplied Defense Intelligence School with 88 copies of our programmed text on map reading which they plan to use in the Defense Intelligence Course (Phase I) now being run. This use of the program will serve as a part of the validation process.

5. Security Reindoctrination Program

The Agency's Security Reindoctrination Program is scheduled to start at Headquarters on 26 September. Component Training Officers have agreed to supply their individual quotas for each session. Plans are also being made to have OS present its lecture in other buildings heavily occupied by Agency personnel, in order to reduce the transportation problem.

6. Wider Participation in Air Ops Course

Both OL and OS have indicated that they will enroll one or two people in the next Air Ops Course to be held 6-21 November. OTR will soon issue a Special Bulletin announcing this course. We are shooting for an enrollment of about twenty.

7. The Director Invited to Speak

Mr. Helms has been invited to address the concluding session of the two-day JCS-DIA Orientation, 27 September at 3:45 p.m. Several

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other speakers from the Agency are also participating in the Orientation. Each has an advance copy of the schedule.

8. Senior School Thesis Topics

25X1A9a [REDACTED] O/DDS, has chosen the topic "Do we have insurgency in the United States?" for his thesis at the Industrial College of the Armed Forces. 25X1A9a [REDACTED] OS, now at the Armed Forces Staff College, has selected "To assess the value of large scale saline water installations as an economic aid and tool in food deficient countries" as his thesis topic.

9. Non-Agency Briefings

During this reporting period the following non-Agency briefings were given: a) 60 students in the State Department Basic Foreign Service Officer Course at Headquarters on the Agency's national security responsibilities and on the Agency's missions and functions related to intelligence; b) 35 officers at DIS on "The Nature and Significance of Strategic Intelligence" and on the missions and functions of the Agency; c) 62 personnel at AID on the missions and functions of the Agency and on the Agency's role at the White House and USIB levels.

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